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104	E. E. Holmes, E	. 1889	Vanceburg,	6.
105	Lew G. Wallace, E	. 1890	Mt Olivet,	6.6
106	J. T. J. Fizer, E			66
107	W. D. Welburn, E	. 1890	Getmantown,	66
108	P. J. Ross, E	. 1891	Hillsboro,	65
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110	B. F. Cosby, E	. 1891	Camargo,	6.6
111	O. J. Chandler, E	. 1891	Clay Village,	66
112	J. W. Crates, E	. 1892	Newport,	66
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122	B. E. Lancaster, E	1893	Georgetown,	46						
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136	Josiah Godbey			66						

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CLASSES FOR 1897.

First Year—Chas. M. Clay, Boyd K. Muse, W. L. Selby, Urban W. Darlington, Robt. M. Lee, Benj. F. Chatham, Luther E. Mann, Henry R. Mills, James L. Clark.

Second Year and Eligible to Full Connection—William L. Clark (D.), Frederick B Jones (L. D.), Josiah S. Ragan (D).

Third Year—James L. West (L. E.), Minor S. Clarke, Seneca H. Pollitt, James M. Matthews, Edward Allen, James R. Word, George W. Boswell, B. E. Lancaster (L. E.), E. E. Holmes (E), F. T. McIntyre, Millard F. Moores.

Fourth Year, Eligible to Elders' Orders—R. B. Baird, F. M. Hill, L. Robinson.

COMMITTEES.

Memoirs-J. R. Deering, W. T. Bolling, James E. Wright.

CAMPTON SCHOOL-H. O. Moore, James L. West, E. H. Pearce.

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ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE DELEGATES-W. T. Bolling, G. W. Young.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY—J. R. Deering, President; W. E. Arnold, Secretary: C. Pope, Treasurer.

MILLERSBURG COLLEGE QUESTION—Conference Board and Ky. W. C. Board.

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IMMEDIATE RELIEF FUND—C. J. Nugent, Covington, Ky.
EDUCATIONAL AID ASSOCIATION—W. F. Taylor, Sheibyville, Ky.
HISTORICAL SOCIETY—C. Pope, Millersburg, Ky.
WALKER SAVAGE FUND—E. L. Southgate, Cynthiana, Ky.
LANE SUBSCRIPTION—Bishop Isaac Lane, Jackson, Tenn.
CAMPTON SCHOOL—Miss Betle Bennett, Richmond, Ky.

FIRST DAY.

Somerset, Ky., Sept. 16, 1896.

The seventy-sixth session of the Kentucky Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in the courthouse at Somerset, Ky., Wednesday, September 16, 1896. at 9 o'clock a m.

Bishop A. W. Wilson, President, in the chair.

The Bishop opened the Conference, reading Second Timothy, 2nd chapter, after which hymn No. 221 was sung. Prayer.

The roll was called and in all 120 Clerical and 16 Lay mem-

bers answered to their names.

J. Reeves was re-elected Secretary with G. W. Crutchfield and S. W. Peeples, Assistants.

W. S. Grinstead was re elected to collect money for printing

minutes.

The bar was fixed at the third pew, including all space in front.

It was resolved to meet at 9 o'clock a, m. and adjourn at 12 m., city time.

The following Standing Committees, on nomination of the Presiding Elders, were appointed:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ORPHAN'S HOME: Clerical—C. M. Humphrey, P. H. Hoffman, W. T. Rowland, J. S. Sims, W. T. Eklar. James L. West.

Lay-M. H. Hisle, J. G. Thorn, H. A. Humphrey, R. T. Mar-

shall, C. K. Elder, Taylor Center.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS: Clerical—J. R. Deering, D. E. Bedinger, W. H. H. Ditzler, W. M. Britt. J. N. Ison, Jas. E. Wright. Lay—S. S.Rozell, Tim Needham, W. H. Crapster, W. W. Ball, A. M. Pence, A. B. Brown.

Temperance: Clerival—C. J. Nugent, Lew G. Wallace, J. P. Strother, R. H. Wightman, S. W. Peeples, C. E. Boswell. Lay—J. P. Vaught, J. W. Mattox F. W. Spreen, J. D. Redd, W.

J. Hogan, J. L. Hutchins.

BIBLE CAUSE: Clerical—A. Redd, W. T. Benton, W. H. Winter, C. F. Qney, E. H. Godbey, W. B. Ragan. Lay—F. M. Hinkle, J. W. Staton, R. M. Smith, B. M. Robertson, J. S. Chrisman, V. P. Smith.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS; Clerical—F. A. Savage, J. T. J. Fizer, J. W. Crates, W. D. Welburn, A. P. Jones, J. M. Wilson. Lay—E. J. Terrill, Tim Needham, J. M. Johnson, C. W. Durham, V. P. Smith.

Public Worship: W. F. Vaughan, W. E. Arnold, J. E. Girdler.

Sabbath Observance: J. J. Dickey, Geo. S. Savage, S. W. Speer, E. S. Fogg, D. Welburn.

The twentieth question called, "Are all the preachers blameless in life and official administrations?" Call continued from day to day till finished.

All the preachers found blameless.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER, 17, 1896.

C. H. Greer reported; transferred to Florida Conference.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1896.

Conference held an educational session at Burnside in the afternoon.

Report of Board of Education of Kentucky Wesleyan College received and the meeting addressed by Drs. E. H. Pearce, R. J. Bigham, Brother G. W. Young, and Col. C. W. Cole, of Cincinnati.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1896.

The following passed:

In as much as Prof. E. S. Fogg has given up mission work in Cincinnati, and is expecting to work in Kentucky, therefore,

Resolved, That we as pastors heartily recommend him, and endeavor to give him employment on our charges as assistant in revival work.

W. F. TAYLOR.
M. T. CHANDLER,
D. P. WARE,
JNO. R. DEERING.

A collection was taken for Dr. H. P. Walker and Brother E. C. Savage, amounting to \$408.65 to be disbursed by a committee.

Bishop Isaac Lane, (col.) of Jackson, Tenn., addressed the Conference in behalf of Lane Institute, and a collection of \$128.50 in cash and subscriptions was given him to help pay the debt on the building.

Conference ordered an afternoon session.

AFTERNOON.

The following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That the joint Board of Finance, be directed to transfer to the Preacher's Aid Society the administration of the Colvin and Drury Knox Funds, and that the Preacher's Aid Society be directed to administer the same in accordance with directions given in bequests.

ROBT. T. MARSHALL, G. W. YOUNG.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the collection for K. W. C. be taken during the first quarter of the Conference year, and that each pastor be requested to publicly call attention to the necessity of collecting the amount in full.

L. Robinson, J. J. Dickey.

Sister M. E. Brewer, Agent of the Orphans' Home, addressed the Conference.

The following was passed:

Resolved, That we recommend to our people to make regular

contributions in money and provisions to our Orphans' Home.

A. P. Jones,

T. J. GODBEY.

J. R. PEEPLES.

Question 6 resumed. The following transfers announced:

W. K. Dennis from Alabama Conference.

J. W. Simpson from Western Virginia Conference.

Josiah Gedbey from North Texas Conference.

Question 40: "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?"

Mt. Sterling unanimously chosen.

The following brethren were called before the Conference, and after being suitably addressed by the Bishop and answering satisfactorily the disciplinary questions, were admitted into full connection, viz: G. W. Boswell, B. E. Lancaster, E. E. Holmes, F. T. McIntyre, Millard F. Moores.

Conference adjourned with benediction by -

FIFTH DAY.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1896.

MEMORIAL SESSION.

Conference met in Memorial session at 7:30 o'clock p. m., Dr. R. Hiner in the chair. Opening service by W. F. Taylor.

The 19th question was called: "What preachers have died

during the past year?"

The committee on Memoirs was presented. The memoir of T. J. McIntyre was read by J. R. Deering, and that of Dr. W. T. Poynter by W. T. Bolling.

Loving tributes to the memory of these departed brethren

were made by various members of the Conference.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to publish in the Minutes the memoir of Sister Roberts, widow of a deceased preacher.

On motion Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Dr. Hiner.

SIXTH DAY.

Monday, September 21, 1896.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, a. m.

The Bishop in the chair. Opening service by T. B. Cook.

Minutes of Saturday afternoon's session and Memorial Session of Sunday night were read and approved.

On motion it was ordered that that portion of the Educational fund due Kentucky Wesleyan Conference be paid to the Treasurer of that Board, and that part due the General Board be paid to the Conference Board of Education.

Bishop Wilson reported to the Conference that on Sunday, September 20, 1896, in the court-house at Somerset, Ky.. after the morning sermon he ordained the following as deacons: Travelling—Wm. L. Clark. Josiah Ragan, George W. Boswell, Williard F. Moores. Local—John B. Ware. And at the same place the same day, after the sermon in the afternoon, he ordained the following Elders: Travelling—James E. Wright, Pemberton J. Ross, Jerry M. Johnson, Benjamin F. Cosby, Orley J. Chandler, James W. Crates. Local—Benj. E. Lancaster.

Mrs. M. E. Brewer, of Louisville, was elected Agent of the Orphans' Home.

Report of committee on the Millersburg College Property Question was read.

Substitute of T. W. Watts presented.

J. R. Deering moved the whole matter be referred to Board of Education of Kentucky Wesleyan College.

Substitute of Dr. Bolling that the whole matter be referred to the Board of Education of Kentucky Wesleyan College and Conference Board of Education, with full power to settle the question, and their action shall be final.

Substitute of Dr. Bolling carried.

A collection was taken for Campton School amounting to \$406.

A collection for Bro. Morgan was taken amounting to \$40.59.

The following brethren, W. E. Arnold, E. L. Southgate, D. L. Thornton and R. T. Marshall, were elected members of the Board of Education of Kentucky Wesleyan College.

H. O. Moore, P. E. Middlesboro District, and Board of Local Trustees at Harlan, were authorized to make such disposition of the Harlan building as they judge best.

Following resolution of W. F. Taylor on Assessment for

General Conference Delegates:

Resolved, That the District Stewards' Meetings be hereby instructed by the Conference to assess the deficiency from last year for "General Conference" Delegates on the charges upon

those Charges which have not paid in full, and in proportion to the amount of deficiency in each charge.

W. F. TAYLOR, J. O. A. VAUGHT.

Time extended till appointments are read.

The following was adopted by a rising vote:

Whereas, The members of the Kentucky Annual Conference have been entertained so hospitably by the good citizens of Somerset; therefore be it

Resolved, That this body by a rising vote express its appreciation of the christian entertainment extended.

Resolved, That we return our thanks to the pastors of the various churches for the use of their houses of worship, to the railroads for reduced rates, and to all who have in any way contributed to the pleasure and profit of this session.

H. G. HENDERSON, GEO. H. MEANS.

T. W. Hardy and T. J. Godbey appointed to pay checks to claimants on Joint Board of Finance.

All the Boards and Committees reported and reports adopted, and may be found in the appendix.

At 12 m. Conference suspended for a session of the Legal Conference.

Conference resumed its session at 12:30 p.m., the Bishop in the chair.

The minutes were read and approved.

Question 41: "Where are the preachers stationed this year?"

In answer the Bishop read the following:

FOR SPECIAL SERVICE IN THE MOUNTAINS.

Pine Hill Mission G. W. Young and W. F. Wyatt
Jackson and Beattyville H. G Henderson and W. J. Doran
West Liberty J. O. A. Vaught and T. F. Taliaferro
Campton
Clay City J. S. Sims and W. W. Spates
Morehead
Irvine J. R. Savage and D. W. Welburn
Hazel Green C. F. Oney and O. J. Chandler

APPOINTMENTS.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

J. REEVES, P. E.

Lexington, High Street-W. T. | North Middletown-F. A. Sav-Bolling and J. Rand.

Lexington, Epworth—L. Robin-

Spears—R. B. Baird.

Paris-E. G. B. Mann.

Frankfort-G. H. Means.

Versailles-J. O. A. Vaught. Georgetown—B. E. Lancaster.

Winchester-H. G. Henderson.

Mt. Sterling-J. W. Mitchell. Old Fort-B. F. Cosby.

Grassy Lick and Mt. Zion-J. J. Johnston.

age.

Hinton—T. B. Cook.

Corinth—W. A. Cooper.

Mt. Hope-J. H. Williams.

New Columbus-F. T. McIntyre. Swallowfield Miss.—E. J. Ter-

rell. President Kentucky Wesleyan

College—E. H. Pearce.

Agent American Bible Society-G. S. Savage.

COVINGTON DISTRICT.

J. R. DEERING, P. E.

Covington, Scott Street-F, S. Petersburg-J. W. Harris. Pollitt.

11th Street-C. J. Covington, Nugent.

Newport—Olin Boggess.

Highland-1. W. Crates.

and Foster—B. F. Augusta Chatham.

California—J. W. Gardiner, J. C. Minor, sup'y.

Visalia-W. A. Penn.

Falmouth-T. F. Taliaferro.

Carrollton-Wm. Shoesmith.

Warsaw-R. Hiner.

Brooksville—W. J. Doran.

Walton-W. T. Rowland, G. N. Buffington, sup'y.

Cynthiana-E. L. Southgate.

Williamstown-J. W. Simpson.

Oddville-W. T. Benton.

Kelat-W. W. Green.

Crittenden—D. E. Bedinger.

Erlanger-R. M. Lee.

Select High School—T. J. Dodd.

SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.

A. REDD, P. E.

Shelbyville—W. F. Taylor. Simpsonville-F. K. Struve. Taylorsville—T. J. Godbey. Bloomfield—D. B. Cooper and W. H. H. Ditzler.

New Castle-W. W. Spates. Port Royal—G. W. Boswell. Campbellsburg-H. C. Wright. Bedford-G. W. Crutchfield. Milton-T. W. Barker.

Prestonville—J. M. Matthews.

La Grange—George Froh.

Eminence—To be supplied by

H. G. Turner.

Beards—J. T. J. Fizer.

Pleasureville—J. P. Strother. Christiansburg—O. J. Chandler. Gratz—D. P. Ware. Polsgrove—J. M. Johnson.

MAYSVILLE DISTRICT.

D. W. ROBERTSON, P. E.

Maysville—J. S. Sims.

East Maysville—U. W. Darlington.

Millersburg—W. M. Britt.

Flemingsburg—M. W. Hiner.

Tilton and Nepton—M. S. Clark.

Hillsboro—P. J. Ross.

Mt. Carmel—A. P. Jones.

Sharpsburg and Bethel—M. T.

Chandler.

Carlisle—C. F. Oney.

Owingsville—J. S. Walker.

Salt Well—J. R. Nelson.

Mt. Olivet—Lew G. Wallace.

Shannon and Sardis—J. D.

Redd.

Germantown—W. D. Welburn;

E. C. Savage, sup'y.

Tollesboro—S. H. Pollitt.

Dover—B. K. Muse.

Moorefield—R. H. Wightman.

Moorefield—R. H. Wightman.
Sherburn—J. R. Word.
Kinney Mission—Edward Allen.
Millersburg Femule College—C.
Pope.

DANVILLE DISTRICT.

W. F. VAUGHAN, P. E.

Danville—J. R. Savage.

Harrodsburg—Julius E.Wright.

Nicholasville—T. W. Watts; F.

W. Noland, sup'y.

Perryville—E. H. Godbey.

Mackville—S. W. Peeples.

Chaplin—W. T. Eklar.

Lawrenceburg—J. M. Wilson.

Salt River—W. L. Clark.

Salvisa—M. F. Moores.

Wilmore—J. A. Sawyer.

Vancebury—E. E. Holmes.

Burgin—C. M. Humphrey.
Lancaster—F. M. Hill.
Stanford—W. S. Grinstead.
Richmond—G. W. Young.
College Hill—W. F. Wyatt.
Somerset—W. E. Arnold.
Pulaski—To be supplied.
East Pulaski—J. S. Ragan.
Mooreland—W. L. Selby.
Burnside—James L. Clark.
Asbury College—J. W. Hughes.

MIDDLESBORO DISTRICT.

H. O. MOORE, P. E.

Middlesboro—W. K. Dennis.

Pineville and Barboursville—E.

A. McClure.

London—J. R. Peeples; J. J.

Dickey, sup'y.

Whitesburg—C. W. Clay.

Hindman—To be supplied.

Preachersville—F. B. Jones.

Pine Hill Mission—G. G. Ragan.

Jackson and Beattyville-W. B. [Morehead-C. E. Boswell. Ragan.

East Bernstadt-Josiah Godbey. Irvine-James E. Wright.

Campton-James L. West.

Hazel Green Mission-Luther E. Mann.

Frenchburg-Henry R. Mills.

West Liberty-J. N. Ison.

Hazard and Hyden-To be supplied.

Clay City---S. M. Carrier.

C. H. Greer transferred to Florida Conference.

Conference adjourned sine die. Benediction by the Bishop.

A. W. Wilson, President.

John Reeves, Secretary.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

Postoffice of Secretary, L. B. 627, Winchester, Ky.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial? Urban W. Darlington, R. M. Lee, Benj. F. Chatham, Luther E. Mann, Henry R. Mills, James L. Clark.

Who remain on trial? C. W. Clay, B. K. Muse, Question 2. W. L. Selby (1st yr.), and W. L. Clark, F. B. Jones, Josiah S. Ragan (2d yr.)

Who are discontinued? J. W. Hunter. Question 3.

Question 4. Who are admitted into full connection? G. W. Boswell, B. E. Lancaster, E. E. Holmes, F. T. McIntyre, Millard F. Moores.

Question 5. Who are re-admitted? None.

Who are received by transfer from other Con-Question 6. ferences? W. K. Dennis, from Alabama Conference; T. S. Hubert, from Florida Conference; J. W. Simpson, from Western Virginia Conference; Josiah Godbey, North Texas Conference.

Question 7. Who are the deacons of one year? M. S. Clark, S. H. Pollitt, J. M. Matthews. Ed Allen, J. R. Word, Jas.

L. West. Question 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? G. W. Boswell, Millard F. Moores, W. L. Clark, Josiah S. Ragan.

Question 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? G. W. Boswell, Millard F. Moores, W. L. Clark, Josiah S. Ragan. What local preachers are elected deacons? Question 10. John B. Ware.

What local preachers are ordained deacons? Question 11. John B. Ware.

Question 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

Jas. E. Wright, P. J. Ross, Jerry M. Johnson, B. F. Cosby, O. J. Chandler, J. W. Crates.

Question 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James E, Wright, Pemberton J. Ross, Jerry M. Johnson, Benjamin F. Cosby, Orley J. Chandler, James W. Crates.

Question 14. What local preachers are elected elders? B. E. Lancaster.

Question 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? B. E. Lancaster.

Question 16. Who are located this year? T. S. Hubert.

Question 17. Who are supernumerary? G. N. Buffington, J. J. Dickey, F. W. Noland, J. C. Minor, E. C. Savage, M. P. Morgan.

Question 18. Who are superannuated? D. Welburn, G. B. Poage, W. J. Snively, S. W. Speer, S. S. Deering, V. B. Daughetee. Charles Taylor, H. P. Walker, P. H. Hoffman, W. W. Chamberlain, W. H. Winter.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year? T. J. McIntyre, W. T. Poynter.

Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Characters of all the preachers passed.

Question 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 108; members, 31,130.

Question 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 433.

Question 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,820.

Question 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 53.

Question 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,110.

Question 26. What is the number of Sunday Schools? 266.

Question 27. What is the number of Sunday School teachers? 1.987.

Question 28. What is the number of Sunday School scholars? 15,724.

Question 29. What amount is necessary for the superannu-

ated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,000.

Question 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$1,599.42.

Question 31. What has been contributed for missions? Foreign, \$3,731.68; domestic, \$1,957.25.

Question 32. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,176.67.

Question 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? \$248.99.

Question 34. What has been contributed for the support of Presiding Elders and preachers in charge? Presiding Elders, \$6,063.38; preachers in charge, \$55,780.14.

Question 35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$717.76.

Question 36. What is the number of Societies, and the number and estimated value of church edifices? Number of Societies, 332; number church edifices, 277½; value, \$719,329.

Question 37. What is the number of pastoral charges, and the number and value of parsonages owned by them? Number of charges, 108; number of parsonages, 65; value, \$97,880.

Question 38. What is the number and value of district parsonages? Number district parsonages, ——; value, ——.

Question 39. What are the educational statistics? Kentucky Wesleyan College, value \$50,000; Campton Academy, \$4,000; total, \$54,000. Endowment, \$34,599; students, 255.

Question 40. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Mt. Sterling.

Question 41. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

APPENDIX.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

With gratitude to God we note an interest in our mission work which has not heretofore obtained in the bounds of the Kentucky Conference. As never before our people are praying for the enlargement of the Master's Kingdom.

Rev. H. O. Moore reports the Middlesboro District in advance of what it was last year. A number of the charges have made a heroic effort to support the ministry. This we regard an encouraging sign and indicative of a better future for them.

The schools at London and Campton will aid greatly, we trust, in our mission work in the Middlesboro District. The corner-stone of the "Sue Bennett Memorial School" was laid at the former place with appropriate ceremonies on June 23, 1896, by Bishop E. R. Hendrix. It is thought by the Building Committee that this building will be completed and the institution will be opend by the first of January, 1897. This school calls for thanksgiving to God for the life of Miss Sue Bennett who conceived this enterprise and whose hands inaugurated the work. Let each stone be laid with the benediction, "grace unto it." From London we look to see the forces of an educated christian life eminate which shall aid in the speedy evangelization of the mountains of Kentucky.

The Campton school is also a new enterprise and one which we expect to become a factor in our work in the Middlesboro District.

The school at Point Burnside, in the Danville District, is our youngest child and one of great promise. These infant children of our Methodism should receive our nurturing care.

We would not fail to mention the missionary territory in the bounds of the Covington District. Two years ago Dr. H. P. Walker was put in charge of this District. He planned for aggressive mission work in the cities of Covington and Newport, where we have but three churches, and in the adjacent towns of Ludlow, Bellview and Dayton where Southern Methodism is unknown. Owing to protracted sickness his plans were not executed. The Presiding Elder of this district should enterprise at least three or four missions in the places named, and give his undivided time to his work.

We congratulate the pastor, members and friends of Epworth Church in Lexington on the erection of their church building without debt, the increase of their membership, and the encour-

aging outlook.

With peculiar pleasure we call attention to the following from the Secretaries of the Parent Board: "Our China Mission is in the midst of a wonderful revival; our Japan Mission is growing steadily, and the Korean work opens with the brightest prospects. Our brethren in Mexico and Brazil have just held Missionary Conferences, which have been full of blessing and promise. Never in the history of the church have such magnificent opportunities been offered. The whole heathen world is undergoing readjustment. Never since missionary work was first enterprised have such vast possibilities been brought within the reach of the missionary. Our leaders on the field call for an advance; they are pledged to it. By every quality of true generalship, by every token of faith in God and obligation to the native Church they must go forward. What is the supreme duty of the hour? Prayer to the Lord of the harvest. The church should come to her knees for the wisdom of God and the power of the Shall we not heed the call to go forward looking Holy Ghost." to God in prayer.

We ask you to note also this admontion given by the Secretaries of the Parent Board: "There is a marked tendency to advance the claims of work done by sight rather than that which lays demand upon our faith. In this way unconsciously undue

emphasis has been laid upon Domestic Missions."

The Board calls attention to the following:

1. Hereafter the business of this Board will be closed on the third day of the session of the Conference in order that its final report may be made in due time to the Conference.

2. We very much appreciate the presence, address and en conragement of Dr. Walter R. Lambuth during the session of this

Conference.

3. The present Conference Secretary of Missions will act

in that capacity during the next conference year.

4. Early collections are absolutely necessary. We insist that collections be taken, especially for Domestic Missions, in November in order that preachers in charge of Home Missions may be paid any time during the year with the approval of the Presiding Elder of the District in which they may labor.

5. All our preachers should be distributors of missionary literature, such as tracts, leaflets and papers. They should see to it that "The World for Christ" be in every home, and that

"The Review of Missions" has a wide circulation.

6. Missionary mass meetings are the order of the day. Let

each preacher in charge see that they are held in his station or circuit according to disciplinary provision.

- 7. Rev. T. F. Taliaferro, our former Conference Secretary, deserves our thanks for agitating the question of more aggressive work in the interest of missions.
- 8. The Board has had no definite information in regard to the men and arrangement of the work in our mission fields; they have therefore done the best they could in making allowances.

ALLOWANCES FOR 1896-97.

Middlesboro District	\$ 87	5	00
Middlesboro	. \$P 01		
Pinavilla and Raphounvilla	. 10		
Pineville and Barbourville	. 10		00
London	35	0	00
Pine Hill	. 10	0	00
Jackson and Beattyville	. 10	0	00
Hazard and Hyden	. 10	0	00
Hindman	. 10	0	00
Campton	. 27	5	00
Frenchburg	. 10	0	00
Hazel Green	. 10	0	00
Morehead	. 40	0	00
Clay City	. 10	0	00
Covington District, Crittenden and Verona.	. 15	0	00
Maysville District, Kinney Mission	10	0	00
" East Maysville	. 15	0	00
Danville District, Burnside	1.0	00	00
Lexington District, Epworth	. 57	5	00
" Swallowfield	. 7	5	00
Total	. \$400	0	00
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ASSESSMENTS FOR 1896-97.

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Lexington District	\$1772	50	\$	764	00
Covington District	2025	00	•	872 (00
Shelbyville District	1614	50		693 (00
Maysville District	1523	50		654 (00
Danville District	1783	00		766	00
Middlesboro District	. 581	50		251 (00
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Total	*9300	00	\$-	1000	00

Julius Edwin Wright, Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Report of F. S. Pollitt, Treasurer of the Board of Missions of the Kentucky Annual Conference, September 21, 1896.

Decomposition	FOREI	GN	M	ISSIO		HOME MISSIONS.									
Districts.	Clain	n.		Paid	l.	(Clain	n.:		Paid					
Lexington	\$1597 1992	50 76	\$	767 611	61 57	*	691 846	00	*	377 304	25 10				
Shelbyville		57		679			645		1	347					
Maysville		00		690			709	90		349	40				
Danville		95		831	71		719			410	20				
Middlesboro	428	26		. 80'	86		200	84		91	12				
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From a stranger									٠		. 00				
One-half "anniversary" c											95				
From the charges on asse	ssment					٠			٠	1879) 3]				
Total from all sour	ces									\$1957	2				
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Rev. H. O. Moore															
" C. E. Boswell											0 00				
" J. R. Peeples											3 00				
" J. M. Wilson										78					
" James E. Wright										98	3 00				

66	W. L. Tyler	73	50
66	C. W. Clay	73	50
6.	J. L. Stamper	68	60
66	D. P. Ware	73	50
6.5	W. B. Ragan		00
66	C. H. Greer	36	75
66	T. S. Hubert		00
66	Luther Mann		37
66	G. G. Ragan		00
66	J. L. West	73	50
66	L. Robinson		50
66	Edward Allen	73	50
66	O. Boggess		00
66	E. J. Terrill	73	50
66	J. D. Renaker		00
66	J. M. Matthews		00
66	Julius E. Wright (travelling expenses)	3	50
Paid	for postage		08
	Total dishuraments	\$1057	01

Total amount for both Foreign and Home Missions, \$5,688.93. This shows a falling off in receipts this year as compared with last year of \$857.57.

F. S. Pollitt, Treasurer.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The report of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society for the fiscal year March, 1895, to March, 1896, to Kentucky Annual Conference in session at Somerset, Ky., is as follows:

Number of Adult Societies, 91; new societies, 6; members, 1397; new members, 249. Young People's and Juvenile Societies, 56; new societies, 12; members, 1283. Total number of societies, 147; total membership, 2680: life members, 149; honorary life members, 6; life patrons, 1.

As compared with last year we have an advance of 188 members above all losses. The collections for the year are \$3,565, being an increase of \$66 over the year previous. Besides this money for foreign work, the salary of the Conference Organizer, which was provided for during six months, when after that our hearts turned with eager desire toward the "Belle Bennett Chair" endowment for the Scarritt Bible and Training School in Kansas City, Mo. It is our misfortune that our desires some-

times out run our possibilities, as in the present instance, when as one whom the "King delighted to honor," we would have given expression of our loving regard for our President in figures of handsome proportions, still we are obliged to be satisfied with

less. The collection was \$308.84.

We take pleasure in acknowledging our indebtedness to our brethren for their kindness and interest in the furtherance of our work, and more so yet to their devoted wives who are almost without exception in our ranks; but the fact remains that while there are more than fifteen thousand women and girls within the bounds of the Kentucky Conference, there are less than three thousand in the W. F. M. Society, and it is one of the "institutions of the church"; therefore, we earnestly beg our honored brethren that they call attention with renewed diligence to this important branch of church work to the end "that the Kingdoms of the world may become the Kingdoms of our Lord."

Respectfully submitted,
MARY WASHINGTON BRUCE, Cor. Sec.
Vanceburg, Ky.

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

At no time since the organization of this very excellent arm of our service has the demand upon its strength been so far be-

yond its power to perform.

In not a single instance have we been able to give as great assistance to deserving applicants as we would have desired, and as claims presented deserved. But until our people meet the assessments for this work in full, many worthy ones claiming a hand of help, must be turned empty away. To divide the small sum at our disposal into too many fragments would be to give crumbs without comfort and help to any.

Certainly no claims npon the people of our Zion are more de-

serving of the most liberal contributions.

Is it not indeed strange that many congregations, whose very existence in organized and domiciled capacity, while able and willing to present some small amounts for the other "collections," have little or almost nothing to offer as a testimony of their gratitude for help from this Board?

Let it be said now, once for all, that the work done by the Board of Church Extension is second to none. Let us give to it a

proper and reasonable portion of our assistance.

Allow me to quote from the report of the Corresponding Secretary: "With the limited means at the disposal of the Gen

eral and Conference Boards, 407 churches were relieved during the year ending March 31, 1896, an average of \$180 each being paid them. Had the \$100,000 asked for in the assessment been given us, 240 other churches could have been paid a like amount."

Will not the brethren put forth even greater effort to raise

their assessments in full for the ensuing year?

In order to assist in the circulation of the "Church Extension Bulletin," we have appropriated the sum of \$10.47 for that purpose.

After the most patient inquiry and examination concerning applications for aid, we have made appropriations as follows:

Price's Chapel, Nelson county, K	entucky	\$ 50 0	00
Hebron, Lincoln . "		50 0	0
Lancaster, Garrard "	66		0
Fairview, Bracken ""	66		00
Broadhead, Rockcastle "	6.6	50 0	0
Ware's Chapel, Montgomery Co.,	66	25 0	0
Owenton, Owen county	66		0
Farmers, Rowan "	66"		0
Morehead, Rowan "	66	30 0	0
For Church Extension Bulletin.			7
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The sum of \$3,000 is assessed upon the Conference by the Parent Board, and is distributed to the districts as follows:

Total amount distributed\$ 590 47

Lexington Di	stric	t.						 				 ۰				,	 	. \$	580	00
Covington	66																		645	
Shelbyville	66							 									 		540	00
maysvine	66							 									 		485	00
Danville	66					 	,						٠						550	00
Middlesboro	66					 		 						٠					200	00

Total.....\$3000 00

Respectfully submitted,

F. K. STRUVE, Secretary.

T. W. Barker in account with the Board of Church Extension of the Kentucky Conference, M. E. Church, South, at Somerset, Ky., Sept. 21, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

Receipts from last year\$1426 64

Receipts from Pastoral Charges	s this year:	_
	Claim.	Paid.
Lexington District	\$ 546 00	\$ 261 74
Covington "		192 07
Shelbyville "	502 97	241 84
Danville "	517 57	254 26
Maysville "		216 08
Middlesboro "		45 68
	\$2753 57	\$1211 67
Total		•
DISBURSE		
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David Morton, Secretary Par. Bo		
Church Extension Bulletin		13 69
Wyatt's Chapel		$ \begin{array}{ccc} 30 & 00 \\ 100 & 00 \end{array} $
Burgin		150 00
Lancaster		40 00
Taylorsport		100 00
Berea		75 00
Lawson Chapel		75 00
Owenton		100 00
Randalls.		25 00\$1422 01
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Balance on hand		
Amount to General Board		
Amount to Conference Board		$605 \ 83\frac{1}{2}$
Amount not distributed last year	·	4 63\$1216 30

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S PARSONAGE AND HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

T. W. BARKER, Treasurer.

Report of Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society of Kentucky Conference to the Annual Conference in session at Somerset:

Our Parsonage and Home Mission Society is no longer struggling for existence. During the past year there has been growth in interest and work. Fields of work are presenting themselves that have been waiting, as it were, for the ripening of the work.

Kentucky Conference has 39 adult, three young people's, and

ten juvenile societies: total number of members, 715. Sixteen societies have been organized during the year.

One parsonage aided in the Conference to the amount of \$200.00, at Alexandria, Campbell county, Covington District.

Total amount reported for special work, aside from collection for the Sue Bennett Memorial School, \$398. Our school at London, Ky, to which Kentucky Conference Society pledged \$5,000, has all been raised but about \$150. A recent report from the General Secretary shows that Kentucky Conference carried off the palm as to special amounts raised, giving as much as all the other Conferences unitedly.

Shall we not feel honored to be counted as members of this great connectional organization, and endeavor to spread this mission work through our entire Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS KATE PETRY,

Conference Cor. Sec'y.

REPORT OF JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

The Joint Board of Finance beg leave to submit the following report:

BISHOP'S FUND.

Received from assessment\$717	76
DISBURSED AS FOLLOWS:	
Paid by draft to Barbee & Smith	76
CALVIN FUND.	
Amount received on Calvin Fund\$16	00
DISBURSED AS FOLLOWS:	
Paid by draft to W. F. Noland, Treasurer Preacher's Aid \$16	00
EDUCATION FUND.	
Received on assessment	75
DISBURSED.	
Paid by draft to W. A. Sears, Treas Board of Education . \$1049	75
PAYNE AND LANE FUND.	
Received from regular assessment\$149	84
DISBURSED.	
Paid by draft to Chas. G. Goodrich\$149	84
BIBLE CAUSE.	
Received from regular assessment	99

DISBURSED.		
Paid by draft to Dr. G. S. Savage	\$248	99
DELEGATES TO GENERAL COFERENCE FUND.		
Received from regular assessment	\$168	04
DISBURSED.		•
Paid by draft to Barbee & Smith	\$168	04
GENERAL FUND.		
	41700	4.0
Received from regular assessment	. \$1599	42
From Barbee & Smith	539	00
Total	.\$2138	42
DISBURSED AS FOLLOWS:		
W. E. Gibson's two children	. \$84	10
D. T. Hudson's two children	. 90	00
Mrs. C. W. Miller		00
" O. F. Duvall and two children	. 220	00
" Belle Letton		00
" V. C. Cummins	-	00
" H. H. Kavanaugh and child	. 90	00
" W. D. Power and child		
" D. D. Duty		00
" B. F. Bristow		00
" W. B Landrum		00
" Samuel Kelly		00
" W. G. Johns		00
" O. Long		00
"Wm. Bickers		
"D. H. Marrimon	4.0	00
12. D. 11cact		00
R. Dancastel	4.0	
" S. L. Robertson		
" W. J. Snivley	0 =	
" Chas. Taylor	0.5	5 00
" S. W. Spear	0.0	
" V. B. Daughetee	4 19	
" S. S. Deering	400	
Stationery		35
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RECAPITULATION.	
Received from Bishop's Fund \$ 717 7	76
Received from Calvin Fund 16 (
Received from Education	75
Received from Payne and Lane	34
Received from Bible Cause	99
Received from Delegates General Conference 168 (04
Received from our Conference Claimants	42
Total receipts\$4488 8	80
DISBURSED.	
By draft to Barbee & Smith \$ 717	76
By draft to W. F. Noland, Treas. Preacher's Aid 16 (
Ry draft to W. A. Sears, Treas. Board Education 1049	75
By draft to Chas. G. Goodrich	84
By draft to Dr. G. S. Savage 248 9	99
By draft to Barbee & Smith, D. G. Conf 168	04
By draft to Conference Claimants	42
Total disbursements\$4488	80

THE BOARD OF FINANCE MAKES THE FOLLOWING ASSESSMENTS ON THE DISTRICTS:

Districts.	В	ISHOI FUNI	e's),	Cl	CONF	TS.	E	DUCA'	r'n	$\mathbf{P}A$	LA	& NE.	DI T	ELEG	TS C.
Lexington		273	14	*	708	00	*	592	39	*	78	52	*	156	40
Covington		300	14		768	00		630	50		87	12		161	40
Shelbyville		248	14		660	00		561	86		72	62		146	40
Maysville		268	08		684	00		577	12		75	27		151	40
Danville		238	14		600	00		473	73		66	72		141	40
Middlesboro		67	56		180	00		164	40		19	75		60	20
Total	*	1395	20	*	3600	00	\$	3000	00	*	400	00	\$	817	20

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. HARDY, Treas.

Joint Board of Finance.

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY.

Report of the Treasurer of the Preacher's Aid Society of the Kentucky Conference.

FUNDS RECEIVED DURING THE PAST YEAR.

Uncollected check to Mrs. V. C. Cummins \$ 10 00

Dues per W. T. Benton		
Premium on bonds sold	140	00
Coupons on bonds collected	120	
Interest on bonds collected	32	-
Dividends on bank stock	63	
Interest on notes	944	
Cash on mortgage		25
Total	*1424	57
Amount for disbursement	1159	32
Amount for investment	\$ 265	25
Less express fare on bonds. 2 50—	\$ 12	50
Added to investment	\$ 252	75
INVESTMENTS.		
Bank stock	1100	00
Notes	13985	00
Cash		55
Total	15129	55
Last year	14876	80
Amount added	252	75
[For Disbursements of the above report see Page 51.]		

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Report of the Board of Education of Kentucky Wesleyan College:

Somerset, Ky., Sept. 18, 1896.

To the Kentucky Annual Conference, M. E. Church, South:

The Board of Education of the Kentucky Wesleyan College beg leave to report as follows:

First. A marked improvement in the general tone of public sentiment in reference to the value and success of the institution.

Second. A better understanding and appreciation of the absolute necessity of the work proposed by the College, in fitting our young people for usefulness in life generally, and especially for equipping and qualifying a body of young and vigorous graduates on which the Church may draw confidently for a consecrated and competent ministry in future years.

Third. A decided advance in the attendance, say 25 per

cent., over last year in the College at Winchester, and on enrollment 140 pupils at Campton and Burnside.

The faculty elected by the Board for the ensuing year is as

follows:

E. H. Pearce, A. M. D. D., to the Presidency of the College and to fill the chair of Psychology, and Ethics and the Bible; D. W. Batson, A. M., Professor of Natural Science; W. H. Garnett, P. H. B., Professor of Mathematics and French; B. F. Spencer, A. M., Professor of Greek and German; Marvin West, A. M., Professor of Latin and History; W. T. Buckner, Principal of the Academic Department; G. B. Burner, Professor of Typewriting and Shorthand; T. W. Watts, Professor of Elocution; Albert F. Oglesby, Director of Department of Physical Culture; John R. Deering, Bible Lectureship; Judge M. J. Durham, Lectureship in Civics.

The co-education feature has proved to be eminently successful. The number of young ladies in attendance having increased

40 per cent.

Good boarding is furnished at the Dormitory at the rate of \$2.00 per week, \$8.00 per month; in private houses at \$3.00 per week, \$12.00 per month.

Local option has been carried in the county and city by a

large majority the past summer.

Students from the College have taken equal honors in the Universities of the East and North with those of the best Col-

leges in the land in the past year.

The College Y. M. C. A. is a potent factor for good in the institution, and has had a year of unusual success. They report 14 conversions under their ministry in the city prison, and 25 of the students were converted last year in the religious services of the church and college.

Scriptures are daily expounded in the morning devotional exercises. No cases of expulsion or disciplinary action have

been before the faculty.

Six annual Conferences were represented in the attendance

last year.

There is much to make us thankful in reviewing the work of the past year, and hopeful in looking forward to the future work of our educational institutions. We report as follows on the Endowment Fund:

J. R. SAVAGE.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Report W. A. Scars, Treasurer, in account with Board of Education of Kentucky Conference, M. E. Church, South.

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25 shares Millersburg Bank stock	8821 00 2687 00 1266 25 4445 00 606 00 1440 75 550 00 612 50 1003 30 3500 00 1080 00 1090 00 5000 00		By part on note of John Perry \$\\\ 3 \ 30 \\ By balance \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
Total	34562 37	Tot	al\$ 34562 37

One share Paris and Winchester Turnpike Company's Road stock; value unknown. One hundred and seventy-four acres of land in Lewis county, Ky.; value unknown. One vacant lot in the city of Lexington; value unknown.

Recapitulation.

1895.			1895.			
Sept. 14.	Amount received from W. W. Spates one-	34599 06		By amount paid A. L. Cooper, 20 per cent, of Demarce subscription of \$800\$	160 ()0
•	half of surplus of S. S. Children's Day fund	30 01 100 00	Nov. 20,	By amount paid Ben P. Campbell, attorney	10 (00
1896	Amount received from M.T. Morgan		1896.		1000 (an
Feb'y, 5.	Amount received on note Thos. Bruner	1000 00	Feb'y, 5.	By amount paid for note Thos, Brnner	34559 (
Tot	tal*	35729 07	To	tal*	35729 ()7

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE IN ACCOUNT WITH BURNSIDE ACADEMY.

SEPTEMBER 21, 1896.

Dr.

July	, 1896.	Furnace for heating Academy Building	210	00
46		Sixty "Victor Folding Lock pesks"	202	00
	6-6	One Kitchen Range	39	50
	**	Sundries—Cleaning, carpentry, plastering, plumbing, etc	80	50
66	66	Cash balance in valid subscription.	125	00
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Mar. 10, 1895. By amount valid subscription and eash from citizens of Burnside __\$ 750 00

E. H. PEARCE, W. E. ARNOLD, W. F. TAYLOR,

Committee for Kentucky Conference.

Dr. N. Stigall, Treasurer, Rurnside, Ky.

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE IN ACC'T WITH CAMPTON ACADEMY.

Dr.

Oct. 1895. Oct, 1896.	To grounds (8 acres) for Academy campus To completion Academy Building (without furniture)	\$1000 3250	00
Tota	al	\$4250	00

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Oct., 1895. By 8 acres donated for Academy Campus by C. H. Hanks and wife	_\$1000	00
Oct., 1896. By cash to date donated by citizens of Campton and vicinity	_ 1950	00
By certified subscription yet due	_ 300	
By cash per Kentucky Conference, subscription, September, 1895	. 588	00
Sept., 21, '96 Byamount cash (\$61) and subscription (60 days) per Conference, September 21, 1896, (forwarded Miss Belle Bennett, Treasurer, Rich		
mond, Ky.) and inclusive of unpaid subscription of 1895	_ 412	00
Total	_\$4250	00

E. H. PEARCE, J. L. WEST, H. O. MOORE, Committee Kentneky Conference.

MISS BELLE BENNETT, Treasurer.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The cause of education is one vital to the church, and we cannot hope to succeed without recognizing this fact and fully adjusting ourselves to the work of providing fullest facilities for the education of our young people along the lines of mental and moral culture.

We have come to the time for the recognition of the fact that in order to the best end, we must adopt the best means by putting the work upon the connectional basis, and correlating our institutions of learning so that we may have unity in action.

The General Board of Education has, according to the action of our last General Conference, been duly chartered, and the General Secretary, Rev. R. J. Bigham, D. D., is faithfully at

work in the field, and calls for the hearty co-operation of the church represented by the several annual conferences. At his request, as representing the desire of the General Board, we recommend the appointment of a Conference Secretary of Educa-

tion, and nominate George H. Means for that office.

We rejoice at the prosperity of the Kentucky Wesleyan · College and the two schools at Burnside and Campton, which promise to be important factors in our educational work and feeders for our college at Winchester. The General Board has assessed the amount of \$288 upon this Conference as our portion of the general assessment upon the church for education. recommend the assessment for Paine and Lane Institutes of \$400 to be duly distributed among the districts. We further recommend that the sum of \$2712 for Kentucky Wesleyan College, and \$288 for the general fund be assessed upon the Conference. The Bishop presiding is respectfully requested to make the following appointments: Rev. E. H. Pearce, D. D., to the Presidency of Kentucky Wesleyan College: Rev. C. Pope, President of Millersburg Female College; Rev. J. W. Hughes, President As. bury College; Rev. T. J. Dodd, Principal Dodd Select High School, and Rev. J. L. Clark, Principal Burnside Academy. During the year, \$937.42 has been raised for Kentucky Wesleyan College; \$112.33 for the general work, and \$149.84 for the Paine and Lane Institutes. The educational statistics are: Property Kentucky Wesleyan College.......\$50000 00

	4000	00
Total	. ,	00

Respectfully submitted,

W. T. Bolling, President.

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Sunday School Board respectfully submits the follow-

ing report:

During the year the Board has helped all the needy Sunday Schools within the bounds of the Conference that have solicited aid. The report of the Treasurer below will show what schools have been assisted and to what extent. The members of the Board wish to express their thanks to the brethren of the Middlesboro District who have promptly ordered supplies for the destitute Sunday Schools upon their respective charges, thereby

enabling the Board to intelligently put our literature where it would do the most good. In the absence of a field agent the

Board largely depends upon this ministerial co-operation.

The Board would earnestly request the observance of Children's Day anniversary and urge the importance of a liberal collection on that day in order to meet the increasing demands upon the Board for aid. We regret to say that only thirty-fiveof the charges have reported this year.

The Board recommends that each Presiding Elder observes par. 243 of the Discipline concerning the holding of a Sunday

School Conference annually in his District.

The Board recommends the adoption of the memorial of the Maysville District Conference, referred to it by the Conference, making Sunday School Superintendents members ex-officio of their respective District Conferences. Below will be found the report of the Treasurer.

H. G. Henderson, President.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Receive	d September 24, 1895\$1	129	11
1895.	PAID BARBEE AND SMITH.		
Oct. 29	Library sent to Lou White, Alexandria \$	12	50
Nov. 23	Literature sent to P. Glassburner, Kane		30
66 6			09
. 46 6	Literature to W. Baker, Jackson		04
Dec. 14			00
1896.		_	0 0
Jan. 1	3. Library to Rev. C. E. Boswell Middlesboro	12	50
2'			50
66 6			50
61 6			50
March !			08
1			49
April :	2. Literature to Miss Nannie Overstreet, Dwarf.		72
6	Literature to W. Baker, Jackson	2	40
2	8. Literature to Rev. Edward Allen, Vanceburg.		72
6. 6			20
6. 6			96
46 6		2	14
B 6 6			98
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66 6			15
May 1	8. Literature to Rev. G. G. Ragan, Preachersville		00
"			70

6.6	25.	Literature to H. Hitch, Falmouth	1	63
66	66	Literature to J. W. Dean, Bladesboro		71
66	29.	Literature to Rev. T. W. Barker, Williamstown		25
66	66	Literature to W. G. Cruey, Hazel Green		28
June	19.	Literature to Mrs. M. DeLaney, Schuler		86
66	66	Literature to J. C. Tanner, Erlanger	3	.40
66	27.	Literature to K. Wilmot, Sulphur		54
July	3.	Literature to Rev. E. J. Terrell, Bethany	3	27
66	66	Literature to Rev. J. S. Bryant, Port Royal		28
46	6.	Literature to H. Hitch, Falmouth	1	00
60	11.	Literature to J. Swim, Morehead	1	61
. 4	66	Literature to J. H. Pinkhard, Williamstown.	1	70
66	16.	Literature to J. R. Power, Polleyton		88
Aug.	5.	Literature to W. J. Cruey, Hazel Green	1	13
66	66	Literature to W. Graham, Lane	1	13
66	11.	Literature to R. S. Eversole, Maggard	1	96
66	18.	Literature to Waller Strong, Lost Creek	1	62
66	-66	Literature to S. E. Baker, Whitesburg	1	85
		*	121	
	ŀ	Balance	\$7	85
		DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:		
То Т	roasi	urer General Sunday School Board \$ 3 97		
		arer Annual Conference Board Education 3 98-	_\$7	85
Poid	10 n	of Children's Day Fund\$ per cent. to R. J. Bigham, Treasurer Board	114	9.5
		lucation M. E. Church, South\$17 50		
		nd Smith, Treasurer General Conference		
		lay School Board	_35	00
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\$139 93

(For items of Children's Day see tables).

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. SPATES.

REPORT ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Brethren of the Kentucky Annual Conference:—Your committee on Books and Periodicals offer the following report: The report of the book agents of our publishing house shows gratifying progress. The total business of the year amounted to \$350,512.66; the gain in assetts, \$50,393.73; the capital as per ledger, \$708,760.50.

We notice that while the business of the House was a shade less than last year, the increase in assetts this year is \$5,516.54 more than the increase of assetts last year. The agents have set aside for the superannuates of our Conference the same amount as

last year; namely \$20,000.

Twenty-eight new books and booklets have been published this year. Two of them we would call especial attention to as they are calculated to deepen the interest of our young people in missions. They are "Child Life in our Mission Fields" by Mrs. Daisy Lamberth and Miss Kate Harlan, and a "Young People's History of the Chinese," by Dr. W. G. E. Cunningham. The catalogue of the Publishing House is very complete, and we wish our people would keep a catalogue and order their books of the House.

There has been splendid, improvement during the last few years in our missionary publications. "The Review of Missions" is strong and rich. The letters from our brethren on the foreign field bring us in close view of this great struggle between light and darkness. The articles ably written and the fresh and full array of facts are not only inspiring, but furnish the best material our preachers can get with which to quicken the sluggish conscience of our people upon this question so dear to our Saviour's heart. "The World for Christ" is a gem—beautifully illustrated, bristling with facts, melting by pathos and sparkling with the freshest thoughts—issued monthly at the wonderfully low price of ten cents a year. It goes forth already into nearly fifty thousand homes and ought to be in every home in Southern Methodism.

"The Christian Advocate" maintains well its excellent literary and religious character. It has not yet the wide circula-We feel that we must make more dilition that we wish. gent effort to place a copy in every Methodist home. Some of our people are taking illustrated and inferior papers because they are cheaper and more persuasively advertised. We ought to remember that the "Advocate" is our church property and its official organ, and that a generous patronage is the only means of reducing its price and so extending its benefits and influence to our utmost bounds. The high character of the paper, the nature of its work, the needs of our people, the appropriation of its profits and our obligations as preachers all unite in the demand for earnest and persistent effort to enlarge the subscription list. It may be difficult to do so; it will be very culpable indeed for us to leave it undone. May this coming year see the interesting face of the "Advocate" in many a home as yet unfamiliar with it.

"The Epworth Era" ought to be in the hands of all our preachers, local and travelling, and by them introduced in all our Leagues and in every family of the church. It is edited with brilliancy and forcefulness. We have every reason to regard that the genius of the editor will be wholly devoted to the great work committed to his care and that there will be nothing in its columns to mar the exquisite beauty of its composition, or to qualify its testimony for Christ or its fealty to the doctrines and discipline of our beloved and divinely honored church. We therefore recommend it heartily to pastors, our Leagues and the entire church.

We have especial pleasure in the success and ability of our "Review." Its size, frequency, mechanical beauty, scholarly force and freshness is a pledge of continued popularity. The able body of its contributors furnish quite a variety of timely topics. The book stream flowing from the world's press is thoroughly examined and sampled by literary experts. Intelligent ministers must find it difficult to deny themselves the delights of this able periodical. Few such laymen need to do without it. The "Review" is good reading for all thoughtful and cultured people. Our Sunday-school literature is good and growing better. "The Magazine" now has a circulation of thirty-three thousand and is ably edited by the best talent procurable. We suggest that the preachers endeavor to get all our teachers to take it.

"The Visitor" is an excellent paper; has been greatly improved. It is the only paper for our Sunday School children of the intermediate grades. Let us put it in every home where there are children. We deem it very important for our schools to read our own literature. But we suggest that instead of increasing the assetts quite so largely, it would be well for us to issue this literature at the lowest possible price in order to compete more

successfully with other publishing houses.

JOHN R. DEERING, Chairman.

D. E. Bedinger, Secretary.

BIBLE CAUSE.

The committee on "Bible Cause" beg to submit the following report: If we shall be able to invest this report with new life, commensurate in a small degree with the importance of the great work of bringing to the consideration of our people, young and old, the value of the Bible, God's expressed will, His plans and purposes concerning us, His children, we shall feel grateful. In the first place, let us get this book in our homes; its cost makes it available, its worth makes it indispensable. The second and

next important place is in the Sunday School. Every member of the Sunday School should have a Bible of his own; then in your literature make this your text-book. It is hardly less valuable to the merchant or lawyer than to the preacher of the gospel. The injunction to "Search the Scriptures" applies with more force to the man of the Nineteenth century than ever before, in making the suggestions practical.

Resolved, That we invoke the aid of the pastors on our various charges. Don't let this collection be secondary, but begin early in the Conference year to look after the interest of the

Bible Cause.

We respectfully recommend the continuance of that parexcellent Agent of the Bible, Dr. Savage.

Respectfully submitted,

A. Redd, Chairman.

C. F. ONEY, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE REPORT.

Your committee on Gospel Temperance beg leave to make the following report:

Whereas, God says: "No drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of God," and all laws legalizing drunkard-making are sinful, and although our fight as a church is non-political, yet we are not guiltless if we fail to encourage all righteous efforts to make good laws and place righteous men in office to execute them.

Whereas, We believe every other issue pales before the destruction of the liquor traffic, because of the direct and indirect loss of \$1,200,000,000 to the American people yearly, \$8,000,000 in gold going to Eugland from brewery investors in this

country.

Whereas, There are laws, both State and Federal, that protent this drunkard-making business, and we have received a request from the "General Baptist Association of Kentucky," in session at Bowling Green, Ky., June 20–22, 1896, to appoint a committee of five to act conjointly with like committees from other like bodies to memorialize the State Legislature to so amend our State prohibition laws so as not to defeat the will of the people in prohibition counties by protecting the lawless; and

Whereas. The Federal laws defeat the will of the people in local option counties and municipalities by issuing permits to sell liquor in such places, and there will be a bill before Congress

this year to altar such laws; and

Whereas, The American Anti-Saloon League sends greeting

to this Conference and asks that two delegates be appointed to attend the 1896 convention in Washington, D. C., December 8-10.

We rejoice, thank God and take courage for the Whereas, aggressive gospel and legal temperance work done this Conference year, viz: Clark, Scott, Pulaski, Grant and other counties and Pineville (Bell county) all voting legal prohibtion; and give praise to the Almighty that seventy-five counties in this grand old Commonwealth of Kentucky have been redeemed from this alcoholic demon.

Resolved. 1st, We will do all in our power to secure total

abstinence for the individual.

We will, as individual christians, assist all righteous efforts looking towards eradicating all laws, both State and Federal, that protect the liquor traffic, and pray God to give us righteous men to execute our laws.

3rd. That the following committee of five be appointed to co-operate with like committee from other religious bodies: Geo. W. Young, Julius E. Wright, A. Redd, C. J. Nugent, J. R. Deering.

We appoint W. T. Bolling, Geo. W. Young; alternates H. O. Moore, C. E. Boswell, to co.operate with the American Anti-Saloon League in its 1896 Convention at Washington.

We organize our churches in Gospel Temperance work according to our discipline, the word of God, the American Anti-Saloon League idea, wherever practicable or necessary for aggressive temperance work.

LEW G. WALLACE, Pres.

C. E. Boswell, Secretary.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your committee to examine District Conference Records report as follows:

There were only three records before the committee, those of

Lexington, Danville and Shelbyville Districts being absent.

The Covington Record is in excellent condition, save some

imperfections in spelling and wording.

The Middlesboro Record is in fair order. We note two errors: two resolutions which are embodied in the minutes are recorded again in the appendix as reports of committees and marked "A" and "B" respectively. Also some careless spelling and arrangement of words in sentences.

The Maysville Record is quite copious and indicates commendable diligence on the part of its keeper; but there are sev-

eral points noted for criticism.

The hours set by the Conference for the gathering and ad-

journing of its morning sessions are 8:30 and 11 o'clock, not including the preaching service, which, in our opinion, is properly a part of the Conference proceedings.

The expression, "song from Bro. Cook," appears more than once, by which is meant "song led by Bro. Cook."

The name of town Owingsville is misspelled "Owensville."

In one prominent instance the name of Sharpsburg and Bethel charge is written simply "Sharpsburg."

The singular, license, is written where the plural, licenses, should be; and the singular, license, is regularly, but improperly, construed with a plural verb.

Respectfully submitted,

F. A. SAVAGE, Chairman.

W. D. Welburn, Secretary.

IMMEDIATE RELIEF FUND SOCIETY.

The Society has the names of one hundred and twelve members. Quite a number of these have not yet paid the initiation fee of \$3 each, but most every one of these has promised to do so at an early date. Whole amount collected from initiation and dues, \$320; appropriated during the past year to D. E. Bedinger, \$100; balance in treasury, \$220; amount due from members about \$150. At a meeting of the Society Saturday, September 17, 1896, the above report was adopted; the officers of last year re-elected, and resolutions passed providing for three thousand copies of the Constitution and By-Laws to be printed and distributed; and another resolution asking the preachers of the Conference to present the claims and principles of the Society to the people of their charges. The organization has received much favor during the first year of its existence and has hope of large usefulness.

E. G. B. Mann, Secretary.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION.

One year ago while our Conference was in session at Winchester we resolved ourselves into a Historical Association for the purpose of collecting material for a History of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Kentucky. I was elected your Secretary and charged with the duty of collecting and ar-

ranging these materials. Work was begun at once. Though I have been too far from any libraries and too closely confined by my pastoral work to make the progress I had hoped to make, yet progress has been made. Many valuable books and papers have been secured or located, and many valuable contributions have been made by living brethren.

I find great difficulty, however, in getting our brethren to write. Appeal after appeal has proved of no avail. They will not even send me their own biographical sketches. A book has been secured and set apart for these sketches, and call after call has been made. But up to the present date that book contains seven sketches, one of them being that of your Secretary, and two of them are of persons not now members of our Conference. Our preachers seem to think it a tremendous strain upon their modesty to tell me when and where they were born and under what circumstances they got into the ministry to which they have been called.

I desire to thank those brethren who have assisted me in my work. I ask their continued co-operation and earnestly plead for greater interest on the part of all.

W. E. Arnold, Secretary,

Kentucky Conference Historical Association.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The proper observance of the Christian Sabbath is one of the vital questions of the hour. Nature and law demand one day in seven as a day of rest. The violation of the Sabbath is general and far-reaching. The excursion train, the local freight, the saloon with its front or back door open, the base ball, the variety show, pleasure trips, christian people traveling on the Lord's day, patronizing and reading the secular papers, etc.—all in violation of the sanctity of the Sabbath, and the law governing it, directly or indirectly; all these are alarming.

The fear is that we have so long neglected the protection of this holy day that it has gotten beyond our control. In many localities the continental Sabbath of Europe exists; yet the interest involved is of such vital importance to the family, the church, the nation, that an earnest, united and persistent effort should be made to reclaim the day, and enforce its proper observance. Let the mother in the nursery, the Young People's Society, the pulpit, the religious press, the law of the Book, and

any other proper agency be faithfully and earnestly employed until we have the Sabbath of the olden time in its sanctity and purity.

GEO. S. SAVAGE, Chairman.

J. J. Dickey, Secretary.

ORPHANS' HOME.

Your committee on Orphan's Home respectfully submit the following report: We find from statements made by the Agent, Mrs. M. E. Brewer, and from report of Treasurer that the Home is at the present time in sore need of funds. We urge upon our people and preachers that they give more liberally of their means to the support of this worthy object. We urge upon those who have made subscriptions that they pay these sums as soon as possible. This matter is of great importance and should not be neglected.

Resolved, That we give to Mrs. M. E. Brewer our constant support, and open our pulpits to her that she may have an opportunity to present this worthy object of our care.

In connection with this we submit the following report of the Agent for the past year: Collected in cash, \$1472.12; expenses, \$96.80: notes taken, \$1711.65; total in cash and notes minus expenses, \$3086.97.

We append Treasurer's report for Publication in the minutes.

C. M. HUMPHREY, Chairman.

P. II. Hoffman, Secretary.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE METHODIST WIDOWS' AND OR-PHANS' HOME AT THE CLOSE OF AUGUST 31, 1896.

Resources.

Cash for current expenses	187	82
Cash in Endowment account drawing 3 per cent int		
Bonds	8410	00
Bills receivable	7058	00
Real estate	43451	01
Furniture and fixtures	2095	75

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Liabilities.

Endowment Fund\$61872	85
Bills payable	
Building fund account	
Profit and loss 803	93

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ALLEN R. CARTER,

Treasurer Methodist Widows and Orphans' Home.

(In the Endowment Fund is included the "Home property," which was originally purchased for \$20,000, and so stands on the books of Treasurer. The live or productive assets of the institution are about \$38,000).

MINUTES OF LEGAL CONFERENCE.

Somerset, Ky., September 21, 1896.

The Legal Conference of Kentucky Conference M. E. Church, South, met in the Court House at Somerset, Ky., September 21, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., the President, Dr. R. Hiner, in the chair.

The minutes of the former meeting were read.

Verbal reports from J. Reeves on Jno. Demaree Fund and R Demaree Fund made.

The following committees were elected in place of those deceased: Jno. Demaree Fund—F. K. Struve, F. C. French, W. D. Hope. R. Demaree Fund—F. K. Struve, F. C. French.

Committee on Drury Knox reported and was continued. Preacher in charge of Carrollton added to the committee.

Committee on Morgan Will Case reported. Report adopted and committee continued.

COMMITTEE ON MORGAN WILL CASE.

We find from the records in Campbell County Court that all bequests of the will of J. M. Morgan have been paid, except the provision for distributing balance left of his estate after the several specific amounts have been paid. Of this balance, the will provides that one-fourth shall be devoted to Church Extension in M. E. Church, South; one-fourth to Foreign Missions in M. E. Church, South, and one-half to Domestic Missions in M. E. Church, South. The money is bequeathed to the Agent of the

Publishing House, to be distributed by the proper authorities. The record shows that Mr. Morgan's administrators paid on August 10, 1893, to Agent of Publishing House \$800.00, and December 1, 1893, \$500.00. According to the will \$650.00 of that money belongs to the Kentucky Conference.

Unpaid resources of the estate are as follows: Cash, \$282.20; good notes, near \$200,00; one hundred (\$100.00) due from sale of West Virginia land, and 143 shares of turnpike stock,

the value of which can hardly be estimated.

Some attorney fees and other expense are to come out of these amounts before they are turned over by the administrators to the Agent of Publishing House for distribution.

P. H. HOFFMAN, E. G. B. MANN, J. C. MINER,

Committee.

The following officers re-elected: R. Hiner, President; J. Reeves, Secretary; F. W. Noland, Treasurer.

Conference adjourned at 12;30 P. M.

R. HINER, PRESIDENT.

J. Reeves, Secretary.

MEMOIRS.

Report of "Committee on Memoirs" to Kentucky Annual Conference, Sept. 20, 1896:

REV. T. J. McINTYRE.

Thomas J. McIntyre was born in Fleming county, Kentucky, April 6, 1838. Was educated in the county schools and at Dr. George S. Savage's school, at Millersburg. After his school days he went into the store of Chappel, Bruce & McIntyre, at Carlisle, where he remained until his marriage to Miss Nannie McClintock, of Millersburg, February 4, 1864, when he went into business for himself in Millersburg.

His wife died May 12, 1870; he wound up his business and began his preparation for the calling toward which his inclinations had always turned, that of the ministry. He was licensed to preach in 1872, but did not enter the Conference until 1873. He married again October 3, 1871, to Miss M. H. Poynter, who, with five children of her own, and one daughter by the first marriage, survive him. In his Conference relations and work, ever

congenial to him, he passed through nearly twenty-four years of service pleasantly and successfully. He had only seven charges in his entire ministry. They were College Hill (Madison county), LaGrange, Bloomfield, Taylorsville, Shelbyville, Middlesboro District, and Simpsonville, all but two in Shelbyville District. We doubt if this record can be surpassed—twenty-four consecutive years and only seven charges, and six of these charges among the best in the Conference. This history of itself is a commentary upon his popularity and his usefulness. The church prospered under his administration, and he was a popular pastor. He did not confine himself to merely ministerial offices in his pastoral relations, but brought to bear upon the people a strong personality outside the pulpit and was able to advise along many lines and in many emergencies. We think his success was largely due to this feature of his pastorate. Many preachers feel that when they chat and pray with a family it is all they can or ought to do. He having a larger experience in matters of business than most brethren, was enabled thereby to advise and counsel, and by such advice to materially aid as well as comfort those in the hard places of life. He had an unusual grasp upon the details of his charge and knew how to manage men, readily overcoming difficulties and removing obstacles.

As a preacher he was in the main instructive and inspiring to the people he served. He was an industrions worker at the Conference sessions, his hands being full of the business which belongs to that body. He was judicious and faithful; his affairs so managed, his household so governed, that the ministry was not blamed. His family reflects honor upon his name and his

people cherish his memory.

He came to his death after an illness of three months, induced by a liver trouble. Fully conscions of the serious nature of the disease he prepared himself for the worst and calmly waited the providential outcome. The day before his death he said, "I am ready to die, but shall live as long as possible." He died suddenly and easily and went to his long rest without fear and without protest. His sun went down without a cloud. He died March 10, 1896, at ten o'clock. The funeral services were held in his church at Simpsonville. March 12. in the presence of a great company of his friends—He was buried in his own lot in the beautiful cemetery at Millersburg, among the friends of his yonth. The people of his charge at Simpsonville gave him every needed attention, and paid all proper respect to his memory after his death. We could not conceive of better circumstances under which to set sail for that "sunbright clime."

JNO. R. DEERING.

REV. WILEY TAUL POYNTER, D. D.

Wiley Taul Poynter, son of Thomas and Angeline Taul Poynter, was born in Montgomery county, Kentucky, on August 14, 1838. His early life was spent on the farm, and he there formed the habit of industry which characterized him all during life. He received his educational training in his youth at the then celebrated school of B. B. Sayre, at Frankfort, Ky., and here laid the scholastic foundation on which he afterwards built so well and firmly fixed on which he was enabled so successfully to train young minds to higher thought and life.

Brother Poynter was "Admitted on Trial" into the Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at the session held in Shelbyville, Ky., September 18-24, 1867, in the class with F. W. Noland, D. H. Marimon, B. F. Bristow and Robt. Hurt. He was ordained Deacon by Bishop Geo. F. Pierce, at Frankfort, Ky., in 1868, and Elder by Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh, at Cynthiana in

1869.

His entire ministerial life was spent in the Kentucky Conference, being stationed at Winchester, 1867-68; Millersburg, 1869-72; Paris, 1873-76, and Carrollton, 1877-8.

In 1879 he retired from the pastorate to take charge of Science Hill Academy for young ladies, which he conducted with rare skill and success until he closed his life work and was called to rest.

Brother Poynter was more than an ordinary man in more respects than one. He had a vigorous mind, and was a clear, bold and independent thinker, tenaciously clinging to what he believed to be true, and never leaving any doubt as to his position on any subject on which he expressed himself, either upon the Conference floor or through the press.

He often aroused opposition, but such was his avoidance of personalities that his sharpest thrusts left no pain to create personal foes; so that however much one might differ from him, such was his honesty and fairness that he left you feeling that you had been in controversy with a cultivated, honest, christian gentleman, who won your respect by his spirit and manner, both in debate and in personal contact with him.

As a preacher Brother Poynter was clear, strong and practical, ever stressing a life rather than a theory, and as a man he exemplified his teaching by a daily walk clean and morally

beautiful.

In the home, on the street, and in the presence of the congregation he was the same. Ever cheerful, and with a heart in sympaty with the suffering, he was ready at all times to relieve

the needy and comfort the sorrowing. While his sermons were clear, strong and comforting, he was diligent and faithful to every trust committed to him as a pastor, so that every pulpit from which as pastor he had preached to the people was freely open to him and the people heard him gladly.

It was as an educator that, perhaps, he most impressed his generation. The seventeen years which he spent at the head of Science Hill were years of successful labor in preparing young womanhood for the higher practical duties of life, so far as christian culture, thorough in character, could accomplish this end. His idea of woman's sphere and her need in order to enable her to till it, was high; and his aim was to thoroughly fit her for greatest possible practical usefulness in life. In this great work he endeared himself to his pupils, and not only in Kentucky, but in other States, many womanly hearts were made sad and eyes made wet with tears when the news went forth unto them that the faithful, kind and loving preceptor was no more.

Soon after our last Conference session, somewhat suddenly, Bro. Poynter's health began to fail, and after months of gradual decline and much suffering, in the early morning of July 30th the great, loving heart of Wiley Taul Poynter ceased to beat and the spirit of the strong, honest man, the genial brother and faithful minister went up to God.

On August 1st, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, we laid his worn body to rest in the beautful city of the dead at Lexington, while the golden light of the sinking sun gave lovely prophecy of the light which will never fade, and the life which will never end in the better country, where we trust to meet our brother in the palace of the Great King.

W. T. Bolling.

[Paper received too late to go in the report.—(Continued from Page 32.)]

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Rev. S. S. Deering	90	00
Mrs.C. W. Miller	65	00
"B. F. Bristow	53	00
"T. F. Vanmeter	15	00
" D. D. Duty	23	00
" William Bickers	50	00
" Samuel Kelly	45	00
" William Johns	45	00
" V. C. Cummins	10	00
" Belle Letton	65	00
" E. B. Head	20	00
" W. D. Power	70	00
" H. H. Kavanaugh	65	00
" R. Lancaster	48	00
" D. H. Marriman	100	32
" W. B. Kavanaugh	15	00
Rev. D. Welburn	75	00
" V. B. Daughétee	30	00
" W. J. Snively	55	00
" S. W. Speer	70	00
" Chas. Taylor	70	00
Mrs. S. L. Robertson	30	00
" William Landrum	50	00
Total \$1	159	32

F. W. Noland, Treasurer.

F.W. NOLAND,
WM. A. SEARS,
E. B. HOWER,
Investing Committee.

Table No. 1. Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

Lexington District.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	No. of White Members.	Colored Members.	Total Membership this year.	Total Membership last year.	Additions on Pro- fession of Faith.	Additions by Certificte & otherwise.	Remov'ls by Deaths, Certificates, &c.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	No. of Societies in Charge.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.
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Recapitulation Table No. 1. Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Local Preachers.	No. of White Members.	Colored Members.	Total Membership this year.	Total Membership last year.	Additions on Pro- fession of Faith.	Additions by Certific'te & otherwise.	Remov'ls by Deaths, Certificates, &c.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	No. of Societies in Charge.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.
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Table No. 2. Financial Report.

Lexington District.

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Lexington, High Street Lexington, Epworth Spears Paris Frankfort Versailles Georgetown Winchester Mt. Sterling Old Fort. Grassy Lick & Mt. Zion North Middletown Hinton Mt. Hope New Columbus Swallowfield Mission		25 00 6 00 88 80 120 00 100 00 75 00 170 00 104 50 28 00 67 75 38 35 75 00 45 00 64 25	300 00 350 00 1150 00 1200 00 800 00 1600 00 1000 00 400 00 750 00 750 00 450 00 950 00	300 00 215 00 786 20 1067 70 1185 50 800 00 1500 00 952 90 361 50 650 00 450 00 364 00 500 00	2 25 3 00 27 00 28 00 20 00 14 00 34 00 27 00 8 00 14 00 14 00 8 00 14 00	90 67 13 20 8 00 20 00 5 00 20 00 13 50 2 00 5 00 5 00 5 00 3 20 4 00	6 00 8 00 71 00 73 00 60 00 25 00 92 00 71 00 21 00 37 00 21 00	2 40 1 78 33 90 20 00 60 00 10 00 40 00 40 50 4 50 20 00 14 80 8 40 10 00	15 00 17 00 170 00 175 50 145 00 90 00 220 00 170 00 50 00 80 00 60 00	6 00 3 85 80 40 50 00 105 60 38 00 115 00 12 06 35 00 10 00 34 86 24 00	8 00 3 7 4 00 35 5 6 75 00 22 0 62 00 60 00 12 0 00 00 12 0 00 0	0 5 00 6 00 5 8 00 6 59 50 0 54 24 0 29 00 0 75 00 0 75 00 0 17 00 0 29 60 0 29 60 0 17 00 0 29 60	30 00 2 00 1 35 27 75 16 00 28 06 10 00 35 00 5 00 5 00 5 00 5 00 11 84 6 80 13 06 2 00	5 00 7 00 58 00 61 00 55 00 31 50 77 00 58 00 17 00 29 00 31 50 31 50 31 50	2 00 1 55 27 75 16 50 35 00 15 00 18 25 28 00 4 00 4 00 5 00	\$ 111 00 205 00 80 00 163 86 125 00 478 00 261 78 50 00 100 00 50 00 100 00 100 00
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Covington District.

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Maysville District.

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Lawrenceburg	50 00	12 86			1		28 54				29 30					6 00	142 00
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Salvisa	75 00	56 00	600 00	400 00		- 0.0	30 00										841 00
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Middlesboro District.

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Preachersville	25 00				5 60	1 25	13 70	2 00	41 50	12 00	15 83	2 20		9 00	19 10		32 00
Pine Hill Mission	16 00										10 72				19 99		70 00
Jackson and Beattyville													13 40	5 00			115 00
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Morehead	32 00								28 00						8.50		10 00
Frenchburg	25 00						9 37		5 75		12 27						22 50
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Recapitulation Table No. 2. Financial Report.

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Covington Shelbyville Maysville	1430 00 1254 00 1413 00	1195 01 1189 89 1081 40	$\begin{array}{c} 14472 & 00 \\ 12305 & 00 \\ 12622 & 00 \\ 14245 & 00 \end{array}$	11622 80 12252 72 10454 07 10515 80 12195 39 2818 58	286 00 241 53 258 61 216 22	153 10 138 69 132 23 136 71	725 00 665 70 765 45 581 35	272 37 128 82 298 69 304 45	1992 76	611 57 679 49 690 49 831 71	846 25 645 34 709 90 719 40	304 10 347 24 349 40 410 20	564 00 502 97 504 85	254 26	457 00 552 89 539 84 461 42	142 72 285 56 145 43 215 56	1499 05 2092 19 8848 70
Total Total last year	7585 00 7345 45	6486 55	70102 00 69713 40	59859 36 63173 67	1815 99 1324 10	717 77 781 65	3555 47 3605 71	1588 92 1870 90	8805 04 9051 69	3661 78 4893 76	3812 83 3856 95	1879 31 2050 81	2246 94 2813 47	1211 70 1416 64	2711 25 3110 71	1054 96 1390 55	14008 58 +0569 01
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Table No. 3. Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools.

Lexington District.

	No. of	No. of I Leangue	No. of	Officers	Sc	Amount C for Sunday Se	Amound For 1	Amount	\text{\text{mount}} Other	Total Ra	Gen'l C Del	American Society.—	Payne 6	t Lane.
NAME OF CHARGE.	of Epworth Leagues.	Epworth te Members	f Schools	and Teachers.	Scholars.	t Collected for Schools.	Amount Collected For Missions.	Amount Collected Children's Day.	Collected for Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conference l.—Paid.	an Bible y.—Paid.	Claim.	Paid.
Lexington, High Street Lexington, Epworth Spears Paris. Frankfort. Versailles Georgetown. Winehester Mt. Sterling. Old Fort. Grassy Lick & Mt. Zion. North Middletown Hinton Mt. Hope New Columbus Swallowfield Mission	1 2 1	45 35 10 120 48	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 4 4 7 7	24 87 4 16 11 15 16 16 15 12 16 8 25 5 5 6	212 655 80 160 90 100 188 148 70 108 50 150 30 314 40	30 00 3 00 53 24 66 00 84 67 35 00 102 54 30 00 20 00 28 00 15 00	24 00 10 00 7 50	10 30 6 00	25 00 3 00 5 00 25 00	\$ 162 75 55 00 3 00 71 14 97 35 99 67 60 00 120 54 36 00 20 00 35 50 15 00 2 00 2 00 2 00 2 00 2 00 2 00	9 00 2 00 5 00 2 00 2 00 3 30 1 80 2 00	9 10 11 00 13 00 1 00 85 54 13 00	1 00 7 50 8 50 5 00 4 00 10 00	\$ 6 00 22 4 00 2 25 5 00 2 00 3 00 1 60 1 00
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Covington District.

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Augusta and Foster		1.0	0	33	400	50 00		2 50		52 50				
California	4	150	0			25 00	4 50	3 50		43 00			2+0	50
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Falmouth	- 11	53	3	30	220	110 00		9 90	0= 00				9 001	65 (70
Carrollton	1	38	1	17	132	50 85			35 00				4 00	1 00
Petersburg	1	31	3	34	225	72 00	4 58	6 00		78 00				
Morning View			4	28	250	60 00		50		80 50		50	2 00	50
Warsaw	1	54	4	24	247	85 00		9 96		94 96		10 00		3 00
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Williamstown	- 0	121	3	12	80	6 00	50 00			6 00				
Bracken Mission			41	22	175	76 00				76 00			5 00	
Oddville	-		4	12						12 00			4 00	2 00
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Shelbyville District.

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Mt Carmel & Orangeb'g			3	20	285	35 00		5 00		30 00	1 02		4 00	1) 1144
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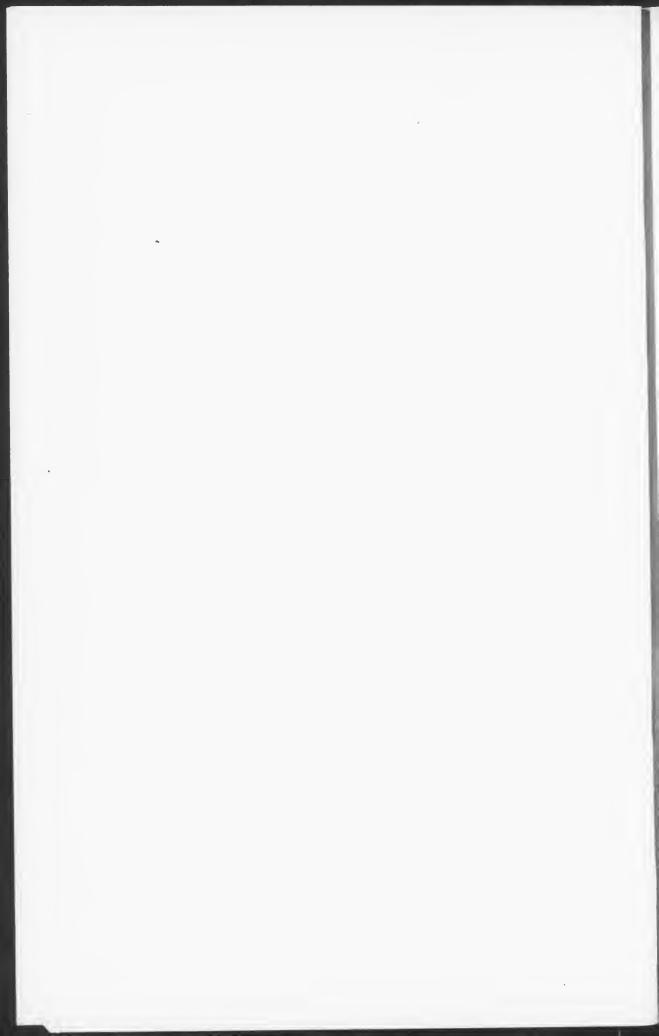
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Names.		DEATHS.	Names		DEATHS.	
1.	Samuel Demint	1821	61.	John Tevis	1861	
2.	Phillip Kennerly	1822	62.	G. L. Gould	1862	
3.	George Brown	1823	63.	J. M. Johnson	1863	
4.	David Gray		64. 65.	William Atherton	1864	
5.	J. P. Finley	1825	66.	J. S. Bayless	1981	
6.	Martin Flint	1825	67.	J. H. Brooking	1865	
7.	William Young		68.	Thomas Hall	1866	
8.	J. R. Keach		69.	W. G. Johns	1866	
19.	Obediah Harber Daniel Blaek		70.	G. W. Maley	1866	
11.	Nelson Dills	1827	71. 72.	J. R. Hall	1870	
12.	John Fisk		73.	Peter Taylor W. H. Parker	1071	
13.	Thomas Atterberry	1829	74.	Anselm Miner	1873	
14.	T. J. Holliman		75.	T. R. Malone	1878	
$\frac{15}{10}$	Leroy Cole	1830	76.	L. C. Danley	1872	
16. 17.	Greenip Kelly	1850	77.	John Sandusky		
18.	Franklin Davis Mareus Lindsay		78. 79.	William Bickers	1875	
19.	T. P. Vanee	1833	80.	V. C. Cummings	1875	
20.	Barnabas MeHenry	1833	81.	G. W. Smith	1877	
21.	J. Power	1833	82.	James Holmes		
22.	W. P. McNight		83.	Jeremiah Strother	1878	
23.	Benjamin Ogden Samuel Harrison	1854	84.	W. B. Landrum		
24. 25.	Francis Landrum		85. 86.	W. C. Atmore	1880	
26.	William Adams		87.	S. L. Robertson J. E. Letton		
27.	M. M. Cosby		88.	R. B. Owens	1881	
28.	John Littlejohn	1836	89.	W. H. Quisenberry	1881	
29.	H. S. Duke		90.	T. P. C. Shellman	1881	
30.	William Phillips	1830	91.	E. P. Buekner	1883	
31. 32.	Hooper Evans T. H. Gibbons	1838	92. 93.	D. D. Duty	1884	
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34.	George MeNelly		95.	J. C. Crow	1885	
35.	E. M. Bosley	1840	96.	Elkanah Johnson	1885	
36.	Absalom Hunt		97.	G. W. Merritt	1885	
37.	Alexander Robinson.		98.	E. B. Head	1886	
38. 39.	H. N. Vandyke P. O. Meeks	1842	99.	T. F. Vanmeter	1887	
40.	Edwin Roberts	1842	101.	O. Long D. G. B. Demaree	1999	
41.	Richard Corwine	1843	102.	W. McD. Abbett		
42.	John Denhan		103.	B. F. Bristow	1888	
43.	Elihu Green		104.	J. C. Hardy	1888	
44.	Garret Davis		105.	B. T. Kavanaugh	1888	
45.	J. B. Basket J. W. Riggen	1845	106. 107.	W. D. Power	1889	
47.	Stephen Harber	1845	108.	D. T. Hudson Stephen Noland	1890	
48,	Gilby Kelly	1846	109.	J. A. Henderson		
49.	J. D. Holding	1846	110.	T. N. Ralston	1891	
50.	Josiah Whitaker		111.	H. H. Kavanaugh	1892	
51.	S. A. Latta Moses Levi	1852	112. 113.	W. B. Kavanaugh	1892	
52. 53.	William Gunn		1113.	R. Deering	1892	
54.	James Lawrence		115.	O. F. Duvall B. F. Sedwick	1898	
55.	P. W. Gruelle	1855	116.	W. H. Anderson	1893	
56.	William Burke		117.	R. Laneaster	1893	
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